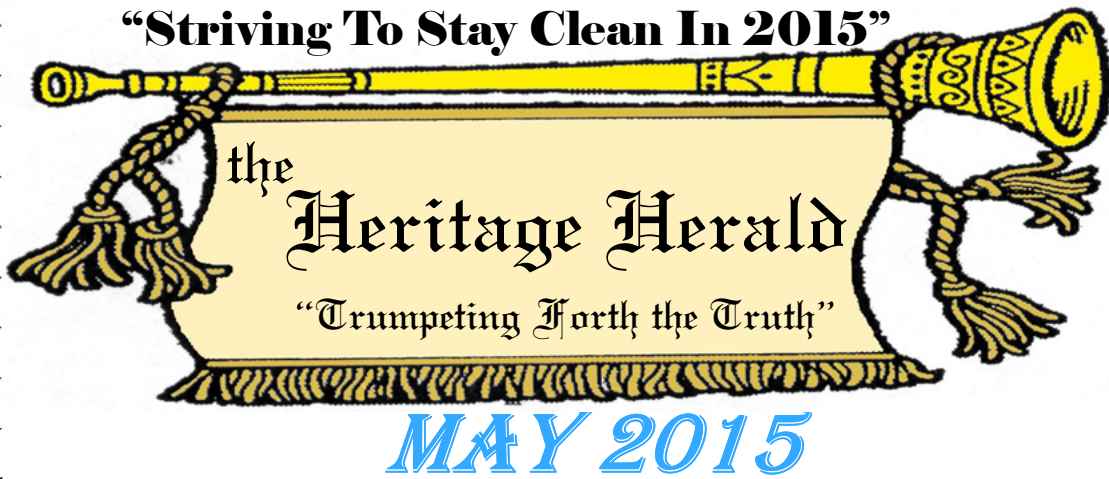


“Striving To Stay Clean In 2015”



FROM THE DESK OF:

GERALD B. COLLINGSWORTH, PASTOR



Pastor & Mrs. C
“Old-Fashioned Sunday”

Happy Mothers’ Day

Introduction: This is one of the greatest events ever recorded in history. I doubt that there was ever a battle fought that was so far reaching in its influence as the influence of this mother upon her son.

Exodus 2:9-10, “Take this child away and nurse it for me, and I will give thee thy wages ... and the child grew ... and she called his name Moses.”

Point to make: Abortion, the death of all newly born Hebrew boys, was commanded by Pharaoh. One woman, the mother of Moses, believed that the only way to save her child was by doing exactly what God wanted her to do. She made a small craft with one opening and placed Moses in the Nile river. It floated down to where a royal princess was bathing in the water. When the child cried, her heart was opened, and decided to keep the child from harm. One problem: no nurse! Now God put the princess in contact with, of all people, Moses’ mother. She places the child in the mother’s care, and without knowing it, pays the mother to take care of her own child! This child would then lead hundreds of thousands of Hebrew slaves into freedom.

When God wants to train a child to achieve great things for Himself, He always sends him to be schooled by a godly mother. What were the characteristics of the woman who would raise the man that would shake the world?

FIRST: SHE WAS A WILLING MOTHER.

PROVERBS 22:6

Whatever else would come into this woman’s life, there was nothing she thought more important than raising and training this child to be of service to God. I know that there are many women out there today that do not believe that motherhood is the greatest privilege ever given to a woman, but God declares that it is. There are even some that think that being a mother is more of a prison that robs them of their freedom to enjoy this old world. Not the mother of Moses. She looked upon this as an honor to be part of this child’s future.

SECOND: SHE WAS A WOMAN OF FAITH.

II TIMOTHY 1:5

Hebrews 11:23, “By faith Moses, when he was born, was hid three months.” This verse reveals that everything done by this mother was based upon her faith in the will of God.

Think with me. this woman lived in a day of extreme hatred toward God’s people. It was a time of bitterness, darkness, yet here was a mother who raised a godly child that influence a nation. When God wanted to raise a man that would remake the world, He first had to place him under the influence of the right woman. But this was a work not accomplished because of the woman’s high social standing, but because of her great faith.

Continued



Dr. Al Lacy

The Book And The Confusion

I Corinthians 14:33

When God was ready to close off the Bible with the Revelation of Jesus Christ, He did not put SEVERAL men on the isle of Patmos. He only put ONE. God wanted only ONE written manuscript to come from the Patmos experience ... not several. Such a thing would have produced manuscripts with DIFFERENT WORDS. This would only bring CONFUSION, and God is NOT the Author of confusion.

Someone might say, "Yes, but even if God had placed several men on the isle of Patmos and had the Holy Spirit breathe out the words, each and every manuscript would have the EXACT same words."

Correct! So why have more than one writer for any given section of Scripture? If there was MORE than ONE version of any writing of Scriptural books in the beginning, there would be nothing but CONFUSION. That's why there cannot be more than ONE version of the Bible in any given language. TWO versions or more only cause CONFUSION. God is NOT the Author of confusion. Therefore, God DID only write ONE Bible. If He had written TWO or more, He would be the Author of confusion.

Overheard In The Doctor's Office

AS I LEANED IN TO CHECK HER EYES, MY OLDER PATIENT GOT A LITTLE FRISKY.

"YOU REMIND ME OF MY THIRD HUSBAND," SHE SAID COYLY.

"THIRD HUSBAND?" I ASKED. "HOW MANY HAVE YOU HAD?"

"TWO," SHE REPLIED.

My patient announced she had good news ... and bad. "The medicine for my earache worked," she said.

"What's the bad news?" I asked.

"It tasted awful."

Since she was feeling better, I didn't have the heart to tell her they're called eardrops for a reason.

I PRESCRIBED AN INHALER FOR A PATIENT'S CAT ALLERGY. HE CAME BACK A WEEK LATER SAYING HE WAS NONE THE BETTER. TURNS OUT, HE WAS SPRAYING THE INHALER ON THE CAT.

Lest We Forget



Billy Collingsworth,
US Army Special Forces.
Brother of our Pastor.



David Thomas,
US Marine Corps.
Father of Vida Collingsworth.



Ken Crowe,
US Air Corps.
Husband of Peggy Crowe.



Eric Campfield,
US Navy.
Father of Eve Oswald.

We have lost these for a short period of time. For now, let us remember what they have meant to us.



Make Plans To Attend Old-Time Religion Conference June 21st—24th, 2015 With These Special Guest Preachers



Dr. Tom Neal
Jacksonville, FL



Dr. Greg Neal
Jacksonville, FL



Dr. Terry Sellars
Ludowici, GA



Bro. Dan Cox
New Smyrna Beach, FL

THIRD: SHE WAS WISE IN HER CHOICE.**MATTHEW 6:33**

Now please allow me to say this: A woman has the same rights as anyone else. She has the right to run for the Presidency of the United States if she so chooses. Every woman has the right to say no to church, or to say yes to smoking cigarettes. But I will also say this: A mother who will demand her right to smoke, drink, and cuss, will never raise a godly child, but that child will be doomed from its very birth when raised in such an environment. This woman was not to govern the world, or to be the star of a television reality show. She had one supreme job. She had the highest cause and calling and that was to train a child for God.

*If I were to die on some war-torn hill
I know who's love would follow me still,
my mother!*

*If I were to drown in the deepest of seas,
I know who's tears would flow down to be with me,
my mother.*

*If I were lost to God, in both body and soul,
I know who's prayer would reach out to make me whole,
my mother!*

*If I were to die and stand in Heaven in view of others,
I know within the presence of my Saviour, would be my mother!*

Conclusion: When God looked into the future to choose the one that would raise one of the greatest leaders of all time, He did not put the child under the influence of a saloon owner, or under the influence of an atheist. He did not commit this child to the custody of the state, but rather to that one who could train him to achieve greatness. God committed him to the care of his mother.

Prayer of Salvation

If you were to die today, are you 100% sure you would go to Heaven?

If not, would you be willing to pray this prayer with me?

"Dear Jesus, I'm asking you to come into my heart and forgive me of my sins. I'm trusting you, Jesus, as my Saviour.

Thank you for saving me. Amen." (Romans 10:9 and 10:13)

**Prayer of Service**

"Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" (Acts 9:6)

A PROFESSOR ASKED A LAZY STUDENT, "WHY ARE YOU IN COLLEGE, ANYWAY? YOU DON'T STUDY."

"I DON'T KNOW, MYSELF," THE YOUNG MAN REPLIED. "MY MOTHER SAYS IT'S TO FIT ME FOR THE PRESIDENCY; MY UNCLE, TO SOW MY WILD OATS; MY SISTER, TO FIND A CHUM FOR HER TO MARRY; AND MY FATHER, TO BANKRUPT THE FAMILY."



Mrs. Francie
Taylor

Relax And Enjoy The Ride

I have the privilege of travelling by air several times per year, and I like the part of the flight when the pilot comes on the loudspeaker and talks briefly with the passengers about the flight path, weather patterns, sights we may see and other assorted tidbits of information. Most of the pilots that I have heard usually wrap up their little speech with a statement like this: "You folks relax, sit back and enjoy the ride."

Ladies, when we rest in the Lord, pray for our husbands and then just "sit back and enjoy the ride," we release ourselves from the unnecessary stress of trying to run everything ourselves. We are not the pilots, even though we may understand how to fly the plane!

We are supposed to sit back, buckle our seatbelts, relax and enjoy the ride.

There will be times when the ride gets rough. I can remember being on a flight to Connecticut when we hit a particularly bumpy patch of turbulence and my cup of water lifted off the tray and smacked back down with a splash! I was wearing half of it after that little rollercoaster ride, but there was nothing I could do but tighten my seat belt, endure the bumpy air and wait for my clothing to dry. Oh, and I didn't have another beverage during that flight!

Sometimes we see things in life that we want to control or attempt to fix right away, when we are no more able to do so than I was able to reach outside that airplane and stop the turbulence! When we presume to take charge, we are trying to manage things that are not within our realm to control. Do you want to prolong the agony or enhance your peace of mind? Decide what your goal is and then act accordingly. A woman who fails to submit is falling short in loving her husband and is in direct disobedience to the Lord. Why provoke the Lord into having to bring more "turbulence" in order to get you to obey?

Something to 'CROW' about!

1. Heritage Baptist Church has had someone saved and baptized every week for the last nine (9) years in a row!
2. The buses are still rolling!



3. The great meetings we have scheduled for 2015.



Dr. Bob Gray
March, 2015



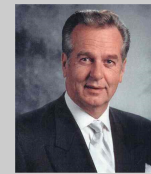
Dr. Tom Neal
June 21, 2015



Sounds of the Faith
To be announced



Mrs. Francie Taylor
August, 2015
Just For Women



Dr. Dean Miller, Sr.
October, 2015

AN OUT-OF-TOWNER DROVE HIS CAR INTO A DITCH IN A SPARSELY POPULATED AREA. FORTUNATELY, A LOCAL FARMER CAME TO HELP WITH HIS BIG STRONG HORSE, BUDDY. HE HITCHED BUDDY UP TO THE CAR AND YELLED, "PULL, NELLIE, PULL!" BUDDY DIDN'T MOVE. THE FARMER HOLLERED, "PULL, BUSTER, PULL!" BUDDY DIDN'T RESPOND. ONCE MORE, THE FARMER COMMANDED, "PULL, COCO, PULL!" NOTHING. THEN THE FARMER NONCHALANTLY SAID, "PULL, BUDDY, PULL!" THE HORSE EASILY DRAGGED THE CAR OUT OF THE DITCH. THE MOTORIST THANKED THE FARMER, THEN ASKED WHY HE'D CALLED HIS HORSE BY THE WRONG NAME THREE TIMES. THE FARMER SAID, "OH, BUDDY IS BLIND, AND IF HE THOUGHT HE WAS THE ONLY ONE PULLING, HE WOULDN'T EVEN TRY."



From our Pastor's Wife ... Mrs. Vida Collingsworth

Remembering My Memorial Day

Just a few days from now, our nation will celebrate Memorial Day. This day is not just picnics and family fun. Memorial Day is not just another holiday to me. It is a special day for which we set aside to honor those who have been killed in war. This day carries much meaning in our family.

My husband's brother, Delano Billy Collingsworth, served in the Army Special Forces and was killed in Vietnam on Memorial Day. It is very fitting that we remember him (and others) who have given their lives - what a great price they paid for others.

My father, David Thomas, also served in the Marines during WWII and The Korean War. He passed away in 2004, and though his memory is with me everyday Memorial Day is a special day since this was his birthday. My father was a very quiet, strong man. I always thought he was so handsome and his military picture was one of my favorites.

Last, but of course, not least I think of Jesus, as I do everyday, but on Memorial Day, as I remember those who have given their lives for others, I remember Jesus who laid down His life willingly on the cross and shed His blood for the sins of the world. What a price He paid so that we could be made free from the wages of sin and death!

As we consider Memorial Day, please consider Christ. Please trust Him for your eternal salvation, for He paid a price that no one could pay for you.



Delano Billy Collingsworth

My husband, Staff Sergeant Gerald B. Collingsworth, received the Outstanding Soldier of the Year Award on both company and battalion levels.



My husband was only 19 years old when this picture was taken. He is the soldier on the left. On the right is Major Dan Callihan of the Combat Engineers.



David Thomas



Dr. Jack Hyles

The Blood Of Jesus

Turn, please, to *Revelation 7:9-14*, “After this I beheld, and, lo, a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands; And cried with a loud voice, saying, Salvation to our God which sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb. And all the angels stood round about the throne, and about the elders and the four beasts, and fell before the throne on their faces, and worshipped God, Saying, Amen: Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, be unto our God for ever and ever. Amen. And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they? And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.”

Nobody will ever get to Heaven who has not been washed in the blood of the Lamb. Nobody! It wasn't enough for Jesus to die for us. His blood had to be shed and applied!

I will say it again and again and again. They could have choked Him to death if dying was all He had to do, but there would have been no blood on the mercy seat. The blood atoned for our sins.

I love His body. It's wonderful, but at the Lord's Supper we take the broken body. Why the broken body first? Because that's the first thing—He died. Then what's next? The blood that was shed. That blood was applied, and without that blood applied, no death of a passover lamb was valid. Until that dead lamb's blood was applied on the doorposts, a curse of death was upon the firstborn in that home. The lamb had to die. You couldn't just take a little knife and stick the lamb and get some blood out of him. No, he had to die.

The death of Christ is necessary, but that isn't all that is necessary. He had to die and every drop of His blood had to be shed in order that you and I might have our sins atoned for. Even in the Revelation when the redeemed of the Lord wave their palm branches and sing, “Glory and honor and praise and blessing be unto the Lamb,” and they give praise to Him and somebody says, “Who are these people shouting around here?” Does it say, “These are they which have washed their robes in the death of the lamb.” No! It says, “These are they which ... have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.”

*O, precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow;
No other fount I know.
Nothing but the Blood of Jesus.*

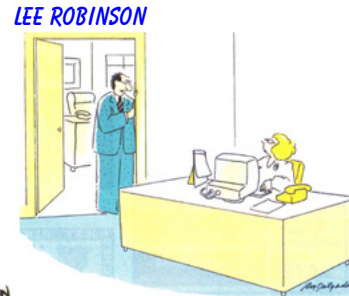
We had better thank God for the blood! Thank God for the blood! No wonder the apostles said, “By the precious blood of Jesus.” Why precious? There is none like it. It's like the crown jewels. There are no others. Five quarts! That's all.



“IT WAS THEIR IDEA TO MAKE YOU BREAKFAST IN BED.”




“LOOKS LIKE THAT THING THAT'S GOING AROUND FINALLY GOT AROUND TO YOU.”



LEE ROBINSON

“I'M OUT THURSDAY, SO RESCHEDULE ALL MY APPOINTMENTS FOR THEN.”

Heritage Highlanders May 2015 Schedule			
	<u>Saturday May 2</u>	Proverbs 31:13	<u>Saturday May 23</u>
	Sewing		Proverbs 31:14
	<u>Saturday May 9</u>	Proverbs 31:28	Memorial Day
	Mothers' Day		John 3:16
<u>Saturday May 16</u>	I Timothy 5:13	<u>Saturday May 30</u>	
Gossip		Soulwinning	

A CANDIDATE WHO HAD JUST LOST AN ELECTION ANNOUNCED DISCONSOLATELY, “I THOUGHT SURE I HEARD THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE CALLING ME.”

SOMEONE IN THE CROWD YELLED, “YOU MUST HAVE BEEN THINKING OUT LOUD.”

Some food for thought.....or..... **Seed From The Silo!**

ISIS Uses Organ Harvesting to Finance Itself, Bodies in Graves Found With Missing Kidneys

Iraq's ambassador to the United Nations asked the U.N. Security Council...to look at allegations that the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) is using organ harvesting as a way to finance its operations. Ambassador Mohamed Alhakim told reporters that in the past few weeks, bodies with surgical incisions and missing kidneys or other body parts have been found in shallow mass graves.

...He also said a dozen doctors have been "executed" in Mosul for refusing to participate in organ harvesting.

—Wesley J. Smith for LifeNews.com

ISIS' Apocalyptic Magazine Declares Islam Is Not a Religion of Peace

In the newest edition of its apocalyptic English-language propaganda magazine, the Islamic State terrorist organization, refutes the long standing mantra that Islam is a "religion of peace" and insists that Islam is a "religion of the sword."

Countering the popular opinion that Islam calls for peace among Muslims and non-Muslims alike, an article in the seventh edition of Dabiq magazine states that Allah calls for Islam to be a religion of violence and any Muslim who believes otherwise holds a heretic view.

The Church of Scientology Spreading Its Lies in Increased Advertising

Breitbart.com (February 2, 2015) reports that, The Church of Scientology aired an advertisement during [this year's] Super Bowl broadcast, offering viewers an introduction to the "age of answers."

"We live in an age of searching," the ad's voice over begins, as shots of busy people hustling to get to work fill the screen; "to find solutions, to find ourselves, to find the truth," the voice over continues. "Now imagine an age in which the predictability of science and the wisdom of religion combine."

"Welcome to the age of answers," the ad concludes.

The false religion recently took out a full-page ad in the New York Times.

What is the Church of Scientology?

Its headquarters is in Los Angeles, California. It has been described as both a cult and a business. It is considered by the government to be a recognized religion.

Scientology teaches that man is a spirit being with amnesia about his previous spirit life. Aliens from other planets have visited Earth in the past, and human beings were once parts of those alien civilizations. As spirits, they are trapped in fleshly bodies; but somewhere out there (in space) and somewhere in here (within ourselves) lie all the secrets of the universe and our purpose for existing.

The false religion exists to try to help people realize their true spiritual consciousness and unlocked abilities. This cult has been endorsed by Hollywood celebrities and seems to be an attraction for younger people who reject the Bible but still believe that some sort of spiritual life must exist.

What Kind Of Seed Are **You** Sowing?



Kim Kline's Banana Pudding Poke Cake

18.25 oz. box yellow cake mix	3 eggs	8 oz. container frozen whipped topping (Cool Whip) thawed
1 cup water	2 cups cold milk	1 cup vanilla wafer crumbs
1/2 cup vegetable oil	2 (3.5 oz.) packages instant banana pudding mix	

Preheat oven to 350 degrees . Grease and flour a 9x13-inch baking dish.

Whisk cake mix, water, vegetable oil, and eggs together in a bowl until smooth; pour into the prepared baking dish.

Bake in the preheated oven until a toothpick inserted in the center of the cake comes out clean, 23 to 28 minutes.

Whisk cold milk and pudding mix together in a bowl until pudding is soft and thickened, about 2 minutes.

Poke holes into the cake using the handle of a clean wooden spoon. Pour pudding over cake, spreading evenly. Spread whipped topping over pudding layer and sprinkle vanilla wafers over whipped topping.

Our Statement of Faith

We accept the Holy Scriptures contained in the Old and New Testaments as being the verbally inspired Word of God and being perfectly preserved in the King James 1611 Bible. We do not believe it can be corrected or improved upon in any way. It is the final rule of faith and practice. **Psalm 12:6-7, I Peter 1:23**

We believe in the triune God, who is eternally in three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. **Matt. 28:19-20**

We believe in the deity of Christ— His virgin birth, His sinless life, His death for the sins of the world, His bodily resurrection, His exaltation at God's right hand, His personal, imminent, and premillennial return.

I Corinthians 15:3-4, I Timothy 3:16, Acts 1:11

We believe that all men are sinners and are guilty before God; in need of a Saviour. **Romans 3:23**

We believe that men are born again through faith in Jesus Christ; that they become the children of God, eternally saved; that the Holy Spirit dwells within every believer to guide and help him in his testimony and service.

Acts 16:30-31, Galatians 2:16, Ephesians 1:13, John 10:28

We believe in the bodily resurrection of the just and the unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved in Glory, and the everlasting conscious punishment of the lost in hell. We believe that all believers have a responsibility to get the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ into all the world. **John 5:28-29, Luke 16:22-23, Rev. 20:11-15**

We believe that Baptist churches were the first churches of Christianity and that Jesus founded a Baptist church. **John 1:35-37, Acts 1:22**

Baptist Beliefs

- B**iblical Authority
- A**utonomy of the Local Church
- P**riesthood of ALL Believers
- T**wo ordinances - Baptism & Communion
- I**mmersed Church Membership
- S**oul-liberty
- T**wo officers - Pastors and Deacons
- S**eparation of Church and State

Baptist Heritage

- **John the Baptist**, Exalter of Christ
- **Meno Simons** (1496-1561), Dutch Anabaptist leader
- **Roger Williams** (1603-1683), Founded the first Baptist church in America in Providence, Rhode Island in 1638.
- **John Clarke** (1609-1676) was a Baptist preacher, medical doctor, and co-founder of the colony of Rhode Island. He was a driving force to get religious freedom into the charter of Rhode Island.
- **John Bunyan** (1628-1688), Baptist preacher who wrote *Pilgrim's Progress*
- **Charles Spurgeon** (1834-1892), might be the greatest Baptist pastor
- **John Franklyn Norris** (1877-1952), founder of World Baptist Fellowship
- **Jack Frasure Hyles** (1926-2001), 10,000 baptisms per year

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